OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 20th September 1924.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	..	23 8 0 to 26 0 0	..	3⅜ to 4⅛ seers per rupee
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla.	100	..	24 8 0 to 25 0 0	..	3⅞ to 4⅛ „
	Dharapur ..	100	..	24 0 0 to 25 8 0	..	3¾ to 4⅞ „
	Mysore Kaddi ..	100	..	23 8 0 to 25 0 0	..	3⅞ to 4⅛ „
	Alubbalu ..	100	..	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	..	4 to 4⅛ „
Ragi ..	Duyam (black) per cart load.	640	..	83 0 0 to 84 0 0	..	7½ „
	Superior (red) ..	640	..	85 0 0 to 87 0 0	..	7 „
Tur ..	Gulberga	..	..	1 0 0	..	6¾ to 7 „
Tur (Dal) ..	....	..	..	1 0 0	..	4½ to 5 „
Avare ..	....	..	..	1 0 0	..	4½ to 5 „
Avare (Dal) ..	....	..	..		..	3½ „
Oils and oil-seeds—						
Oils ..	Sweet oil	..	26½	9 8 0 to 11 0 0	..	0 4 0 to 0 4 6 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	11 0 0 to 11 8 0	..	0 4 6 to 0 4 9 per seer
Oil-seeds ..	Gingelly or til seed per candy	..	..	55 0 0 to 57 0 0	..	
	Castor seed ..	..	..	No stock.	..	
Other food articles—						
Sugar ..	White Bura	..	25	5 4 0	..	0 10 6 per viss
	Koiar Bura	..	25	5 0 0	..	0 10 0 „
Jaggery ..	Achu	..	28	3 12 0 to 4 4 0	..	0 7 0 to 0 8 6
	Oonde	..	28	3 8 0 to 4 0 0	..	0 7 0 to 0 8 0
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	..	26½	26 0 0 to 28 0 0	..	3 8 0 „
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) ..	100	...	8 4 0 to 8 8 0	..	11½ to 12 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 23rd September 1924.

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For *Director*

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 20TH SEPTEMBER 1924.

A total of 130 attacks with 91 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 80 attacks and 55 deaths in the previous week, all the districts except Tumkur being affected. The Bangalore City and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to be free from the disease. There was one imported case of plague in Mysore City.

2. Sporadic cases of cholera, numbering 25 attacks with 20 deaths were reported for five villages in the Thirthahalli Taluk and one village in each of the Chamrajnagar Taluk and Yelandur Jahagir.

3. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 82, representing a calculated annual ratio of 35·96 per mille of population against the average ratio of 28·66 for 1923. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 5 under pneumonia, 8 under other fevers, 11 under phthisis, 5 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 53 under all other causes.

4. The total mortality for the Mysore City aggregated to 36 representing a calculated annual ratio of 22·29 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·19 for 1923. The causes of deaths were plague 1, malaria 1, pneumonia 3, other fevers 3, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 7 and all other causes 18.

5. There were 55 deaths from all causes returned for the Kolar Gold Fields equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 32·61 per mille of population against the average ratio of 23·08 for 1923. The causes of deaths were pneumonia 3, phthisis 2, dysentery and diarrhœa 8 and all other causes 42.

6. A total of 35 attacks with 8 deaths from influenza was returned for a village in the Hunsur Taluk.

7. Cases of relapsing fever numbering 65 attacks with 6 deaths were returned for 3 villages in the Channagiri Taluk, 2 in Tiptur Taluk and one in each of the Mandya, Malvalli and Koratagere Taluks.

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